

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**vs.**

**CASE NO.: 2:12-cr-150 (3)  
JUDGE SMITH  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE KING**

**ABRAHAM L. MORRIS,**

**Defendant.**

**ORDER**

On April 29, 2014, the Magistrate Judge issued a Report and Recommendation pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1), recommending that the Court accept Defendant's guilty plea to Count Six of the Indictment charging him with possession with the intent to distribute 28 grams or more of cocaine base, commonly known as crack, in violation of 28 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B).

Defendant, represented by counsel, waived his right to appear on the matter before a District Judge. The Magistrate Judge conducted the colloquy required by Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. Defendant's plea was knowing, voluntary, free from coercion, and had a basis in fact.

Defendant was specifically informed of his right to contest the Report and Recommendation by filing any objections within 14 days of the issuance of the Report and Recommendation pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Rule 72(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Defendant did not file any objections.

Accordingly, the Court **ADOPTS** the Report and Recommendation and **ACCEPTS**

Defendant's plea of guilty to Count Six of the Indictment. Defendant is hereby adjudged guilty of possession with the intent to distribute 28 grams or more of cocaine base.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

/s/ *George C. Smith*  
**GEORGE C. SMITH, JUDGE**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**